SECRET

21 March 1949

Subject: SHILLING, Annelore

Request for Security Investigation and Clearance

To: F

From: E

l. Attached is submitted subject's questionnaire and photograph. Security Investigation and clearance for subject's overt employment (as undersigned's private secretary, for the procurement and perusal of overt publications and all related work, pending establishment of the clipping bureau, as envisaged in basic plans) at the earliest opportunity are requested.

- 2. Subject was referred to undersigned by Mr. Rosenberg (Bizonal Trade Union Council) to whom she had applied for a position which, however, had been filled previously. Undersigned had two lengthy interviews with subject from which the following conclusions are derived: subject, a middle-aged woman with a strong individuality, served during the war on the Allied side (British WAAF in the Middle East), is definitely not involved in German politics, but is also hardly very pro-British because of her sympathies with Palestine though she herself is not Jewish and has been divorced from her Jewish husband with whom she originally went to Palestine see q uestionnaire. There is nothing in subject's background and general attitude, so far as can be seen, to imply any Eastern leanings or sympathies. Undersigned feels satisfied that subject has the general intelligence, reliability and discretion required for the intended employment (which shall be further tested by giving her some "home work" to do in the meantime).
- 3. Undersigned suggests speedy investigation of subject's reference in the U.S. (p. 21-d of questionnaire) by cable. References in Frankfurt EXEXTREX should be investigated through normal MG or CIC channels, in view of the overtcharacter of the intended employment. If advisable, subject's record with the British Forces might also be checked through London.

Attached:

1 photograph
1 questionnaire (7 pages)

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